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Art Unit: 3742

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Invention: *Electric Heater with Housing*

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated March 22, 2005, applicant hereby elects the invention of Group I, claims 1-31 and 33-41 for examination in the above-captioned patent application. This election is *without* traverse. Applicant reserves the right to file a divisional application for the subject matter of the non-elected claims at a later date.

In light of the foregoing, prompt issuance of a favorable first Office Action on the merits is believed to be in order and is respectfully requested. Should there be any remaining questions the attending to of which would expedite such action, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number appearing below.

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No fee is believed to be payable with this communication. Nevertheless, should the Examiner consider any other fees to be payable in conjunction with this or any future communication, the Director is authorized to direct payment of such fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1170.

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